# A. Amendments to the Claims:

- 1. (currently amended) A method for <u>a user to change</u> [changing] the firmness of a bed, comprising:
  - (a) providing a bed;
  - (b) providing a topper for said bed, said topper including:
    - a first sheet of foam, said first sheet having a first firmness;
    - -a second sheet of foam, said second sheet having a second firmness different from said first firmness;
    - -said first sheet and said second sheet bonded together in stacked aligned relationship;
- (c) for the purpose of obtaining a preferred firmness, [a] the user selecting one of said first firmness and said second firmness; and,
- (d) the user placing said topper on top of said bed so that said sheet corresponding to said selected firmness faces upward.

#### Claims 2-3 canceled.

- 4. (original) The method of Claim 1, further including:
  - in (b), said first sheet fabricated from 10 ILD 4 lb memory foam; and,
  - in (b), said second sheet fabricated from 20 ILD 5 lb memory foam.
- 5. (currently amended) The method of Claim 1, further including:
- [in (d), the user placing said topper on top of said bed with said first sheet facing upward; and,

the user applying a downward load to said first sheet wherein both said first sheet and said second sheet locally compress in response to the applied load

in (b), said first sheet and said second sheet being of equal thickness.

### Claims 6-7 cancelled.

# 9. (currently amended) A topper for a bed, comprising:

a first sheet of foam, said first sheet having a first firmness;

a second sheet of foam, said second sheet having a second firmness different from said first firmness;

said first sheet and said second sheet bonded together in stacked aligned relationship;
so that said topper may be (1) placed on top of the bed with said first sheet facing upward
to present a first firmness to a user, or (2) placed on top of the bed with said second sheet facing
upward to present a second firmness to a user;

[The topper according to Claim 8, further including:]
said first sheet fabricated from 10 ILD 4 lb memory foam; and,
said second sheet fabricated from 20 ILD 5 lb memory foam.

Claims 10-14 canceled.

Please add new Claims 15 and 16.

# 15. (new) A topper for a bed, comprising:

a first sheet of foam, said first sheet having a first firmness;

a second sheet of foam, said second sheet having a second firmness different from said first firmness;

said first sheet and said second sheet bonded together in stacked aligned relationship; so that said topper may be (1) placed on top of the bed with said first sheet facing upward to present a first firmness to a user, or (2) placed on top of the bed with said second sheet facing upward to present a second firmness to a user; and,

said first sheet and said second sheet being of equal thickness.

# 16. (new) The topper of Claim 15, further including:

said first sheet fabricated from 10 ILD 4 lb memory foam; and, said second sheet fabricated from 20 ILD 5 lb memory foam.